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## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A method and apparatus is disclosed in which one or more standard faces are transformed into a target face so as to allow expressions corresponding to the standard face(s) to be used as animation vectors by the target face. In particular, a non-linear morphing transformation function is determined between standard face(s) and the target face. The target face of morphing animation vectors are а function the transformation function and the animation vectors of the standard face(s).

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